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Applicant(s): Jérôme LAVOIE  
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Title: SAWDUST-FREE WOOD CUTTING METHOD AND APPARATUS  
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Customer No.: 20988

AMENDMENT B

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated August 30, 2004 in connection with the above-identified application, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.